

REPORT

OF THE

JOINT LIBRARIANS OF PARLIAMENT

(33)

To the Honourable the Speaker of the Senate :

To the Honourable the Speaker of the House of Commons :

The Joint Librarians of Parliament have the honour to report as follows for the year 1902 :—

The occurrence of the Coronation of the King called forth a number of descriptive volumes, from which a selection was made that will serve as a historical record.

The conference of colonial public men in London occasioned a good deal of discussion in the press. A collection of the articles of the chief London papers was made for the use of members in the Library.

In view of the interest likely to be taken by parliament in the subject, the papers relating to the conferences of 1887, 1894 and 1902 have been brought together in volumes for reference.

The recurrence of the discussion on the subject of the Alaskan boundary has suggested the preparation of lists of recent studies on the question. In the absence of any authoritative history of the subject, the Library catalogues can respond, at least, to any reasonable demand for recent information.

Such papers as have been published regarding the negotiations between Newfoundland and the United States have also been provided.

The appointment of a commission to revise and consolidate the statutes has suggested the preparation of a collection of the principal reports on the subject of revision and consolidation that have been made in England during many years past.

The unsettled state of the Copyright Law has suggested a like preparation of such Imperial reports.

The reports and returns regarding telephone control in Great Britain have also been collected in volumes for use in the Library.

The Revised Statutes of the United States and of the various separate states have been brought up to date as far as the means of the Library would permit during the year.

The business annuals, reports of boards of trade and chambers of commerce and the usual statistical compilations have been provided so far as they have been issued. There is an increasing tendency to delay the issue of such things in order to include as much as possible in the compilation.

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Owing to the generally awakened interest in the affairs of the empire at large, the Library has, after a necessarily long correspondence, been able to procure a collection as complete as possible, of the laws, reports and gazettes of the following outlying parts of the empire :—

From the British South African Company—

Reports of Administration of Rhodesia, 1889-1901.
Rhodesia Illustrated, 1889.
Rhodesia, Information for Settlers.

From the Government of British Honduras—

Ordinances, 1887-1901. 6 Vols.
Proceedings, Legislative Council, 1901.
Census, 1901.
Registrar General's Report, 1900.
Education Report, 1900.
Medical Reports, 1899.
Government Gazette, 1902.
Blue Book, 1901.

From the Government of British New Guinea—

Laws and Ordinances up to 1898.
Annual Reports, 1898-1900.
Government Gazette, 1899-1902.

From the Government of Fiji Islands—

Government Gazette (which includes all parliamentary papers) from 1874 to 1901. 18 Vols.
Ordinances, 1879-1900. 22 Vols.

From the Government of Grenada—

Ordinances, 1897-1901. 5 Vols.
Consolidated Laws, 1897.
Administration Report, 1900.
Blue Book, 1901.

From the Government of Gibraltar—

Consolidated Laws to 1890.
Proclamations, 1891-1901.

From the Government of Lagos—

Ordinances from 1862-1902. 2 Vols.
Government Gazette, 1902.

From the Government of the Leeward Islands—

Antigua Laws, to 1864.
Leeward Islands Gazette, 1902.
Blue Book, 1901-2.

From the Government of Mauritius—

Ordinances, 1897-1901. 4 Vols.
Supreme Court Decisions, 1886-1900. 3 Vols.
Civil List, 1900.

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From the Government of the Federated Malay States—
Census, 1900.

From the Government of Perak, Straits Settlements—
Government Gazette, 1902.

From the Government of Trinidad and Tobago—
Blue Book, 1901-2.
Education Report, 1901-2.

From the Government of Western Australia—
Proceedings of Parliament, 1901-2. 4 Vols.
Debates. Vols. 19-20.
Laws, 1900-1902
Statistical Register, 1900.

There is probably no part of the empire with any form of organization which is not now represented, by its official publications, on the shelves of the Library.

The acknowledgment of all these, their arrangement on the shelves, their entry on the catalogues and the transmission of proper exchanges, necessarily adds to the routine work of the staff.

When to these are added the official publications of the United States and of a large number of the separate states, besides the Australian Federation and the separate Australian Colonies, New Zealand and India, it will be observed that, apart altogether from the general accession of books purchased by the Librarians, the Library staff is fully employed all the year round, and still more largely occupied during the session.

The large demands made by the Librarians on the Printing Bureau for extra documents to send, in exchange, throughout the colonies, have been most cheerfully and promptly responded to by the King's Printer.

During the recess a very necessary work was accomplished in re-arranging the books stored over the reading room. These had increased in number from 4,000 to 15,600, and it was necessary to handle them all for the purpose of convenient placing and classification.

The Librarians are indebted to the Department of Public Works, and especially to the Chief Architect, for prompt and essential aid in providing the large amount of shelving required and for practical suggestions in regard to the lighting of the gallery and to convenient access to the shelves.

Among the purchases of the year may be specially mentioned the following additions to the collection of Provincial Records and Laws:—

Nova Scotia—

1. Perpetual Acts Revised, 1758-1771. Temporary Acts, 1758-1771. Bound together. Folio, Halifax, 1767.
2. Temporary Acts Revised, 1758-1777. Folio, Halifax, 1767.
3. Perpetual Acts Revised, 1758-1795. Folio, Halifax, 1784.
4. Temporary Acts Revised, 1765-1801. Folio, Halifax, 1784.
5. Annual Acts, 1819 (incomplete, beginning with ch. vii.), 1822, 1823, 1825, 1826, 1827, 1828, 1829, 1832, 1833, 1834, 1853, 1854-55, 1863, 1899.
6. Journals and Votes of the Assembly, 1777-1787 (incomplete), 1789-1802 (bound in one volume). 1803-1811 (bound in one volume). 1812 (1st Session), 1812 (2nd Session), 1813, 1814, 1815, 1816, 1817, 1818, 1819, 1845.

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Prince Edward Island—

7. Laws, 1773-1844. Vol. 1, 8vo. 1851.
8. Annual Laws, 1846, 1848, 1852, 1855, 1858, 1860.

New Brunswick—

- Public Statutes. Vol. 2. 8vo., Fredericton, 1854.
Annual Laws, 1886.

The list of donations to the Library is appended as usual.

The Catalogue of accessions during the year has been prepared and will be distributed to members at an early date.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

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MARTIN J. GRIFFIN, P.L.

LIBRARY OF PARLIAMENT,
March 12, 1903.

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LIST OF DONATIONS TO THE LIBRARY OF PARLIAMENT, 1902-3.

From the Rev. W. Bramley-Moore, London :

Marturia : or the Testimony of Ancient Records and Monuments in the British Museum to the Historical Accuracy of Holy Scripture.

From Wm. H. Burns, Esq., Ottawa :

History of the Bank of Nova Scotia, 1832-1900.

From the author, E. P. B., London :

God the Beautiful ; an Artist's Creed. 8vo, 1900.

From the Earl of Crawford, London :

Bibliotheca Lindesiana, Bulletin de l'Assemblée Nationale, 1792-5.

From Hon. G. A. Drummond, Senator, Montreal :

Two white metal medals, commemorating Visit of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York to Montreal, 1901.

From Lt.-Col. Hodgins, Ottawa :

Reports of the Dominion Rifle Association. 1895-1901.

From James H. Hyde, Esq., New York :

Henry Baldwin Hyde. A Biographical Sketch.

From C. H. Litchman, Esq., Newark :

Reports of the United States Industrial Commission. Vols. 8 to 19.

From Wm. H. Love, Esq., Baltimore :

Report of Proceedings of the National Rivers and Harbours Congress, 1901.

From Mr. Peter Redpath, Chislehurst, England :

Catalogue of Historical Tracts, 1561-1800.

From Hon. Clifford Sifton, Minister of the Interior :

Two Bronze Medals entitled 'Dominion of Canada,' issued for educational purposes.

From the author, E. Lee-Warner, Esq., London :

Life of John Warner, Bishop of Rochester, 1637-1666. 4to L, 1901.

From the Astronomer Royal, Scotland :

Annals of the Royal Observatory, Edinburgh. Vol. 1.

From the Baltimore Board of Trade :

Reports for 1898 to 1901.

From the Baltimore Chamber of Commerce.

Report for 1901.

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From the City of Birmingham, England :

Financial Statement, 1901-2.

From the British South African Company :

Rhodesia. Administration Reports, 1889 to 1901.

————— Illustrated, 1889.

————— Information for Settlers.

From the Boston Chamber of Commerce :

Report, 1901.

From the Boston Merchants' Association :

Addresses delivered before. 1887, 1893, 1897, 1900, 1901.

From the Buffalo Merchants' Exchange :

Reports for 1899 to 1901.

From the Chicago Board of Trade :

Report for 1901.

*From the Citizens' Committee of the National Capital Centennial Celebration,
Washington, 1900 :*

Cox, W. V. The 100th Anniversary of the Establishment of the Seat of Government in the District of Columbia. 4to Washington, 1901.

From Cornell University Library :

Catalogue of the Dante Collection.

From the Duluth Board of Trade :

Report, 1901.

From the Geographical Society of Ottawa :

Bulletins, 1893-1901.

From the Halifax Board of Trade :

Report, 1901.

From the Hartford Board of Trade :

Report, 1902.

From Harvard University Library :

Bibliographical Contributions. No. 54.

From the Independent Order of Oddfellows :

Proceedings of the Grand Lodge, 1902.

From the Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce :

Report, 1901.

From the Montreal Board of Trade :

Reports for 1901-2.

From the National Board of Trade, U.S.A.:

Reports, 1901-2.

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From the New York Chamber of Commerce :

Report, 1901-2.

From the New York Produce Exchange :

Report, 1901-2.

From the Ottawa Board of Trade :

Report, 1901.

From the Royal Geographical Society of Australasia :

Proceedings of the Society. Vols. 2, 3, 4.

Queensland Geographical Journal. Vol. 16.

Journal of the Central Australian Exploring Expedition.

New South Wales. Transactions and Proceedings. Vol. 25

Victoria. Transactions and Proceedings. Vols. 14-19.

From St. Catharines Board of Trade :

Report, 1900.

From St. Louis Trade and Commerce Board :

Report, 1901.

From the City of St. John, N.B. :

Auditor's Report, 1901.

From San Francisco Board of Trade :

Reports, 1900-2.

From San Francisco Chamber of Commerce :

Report, 1902.

From San Francisco Produce Exchange :

Report, 1901.

From San Francisco Merchants' Exchange :

Report, 1902.

From the Toronto Board of Trade :

Report, 1901.

From the Trades and Labour Congress of Canada :

Official Book, 1901.

Proceedings, 1901.

From the University of Otago, New Zealand :

Calendar, 1902.

From the Vancouver Board of Trade :

Report, 1901-2.

From the Winnipeg Grain and Produce Exchange :

Report, 1901.

From the Winnipeg Board of Trade :

Report, 1902.

From the Government of the Australian Commonwealth :

Bills, 1901-2.

Senate Miscellaneous Documents, 1901-2.

House Miscellaneous Documents, 1901-2.

From the Government of the Bahamas :

Laws, 1902.

From the Government of Barbados :

Blue Book, 1901-2.

Laws, 1902.

From the Government of Brazil :

Reports and Official Returns. 15 Vols.

Historical Documents.

From the Government of British Columbia :

Laws, 1902.

Journals, 1902.

Official Gazette, 1902.

From the Government of British Guiana :

Registrar General's Report, 1901.

From the Government of British Honduras :

Consolidated Laws to 1886.

Ordinances, 1887 to 1901.

Legislative Council Minutes, 1901.

Blue Book, 1901.

Census, 1901.

Government Gazette, 1902.

Education and Medical Reports, 1899-1900.

Registrar General's Report, 1900.

From the Government of British New Guiana :

Laws and Ordinances, to 1898.

Government Gazette, 1899-1900.

Annual Reports, 1899-1901.

From the State of California :

Law Reports. Vols. 131 to 134.

Journals, Senate, 1901.

“ Assembly, 1901.

Statutes and Amendments to the Codes, 1901.

Statistical Report, 1901-2.

Appendix to Journals of both Houses, 1901. 4 Vols.

From the State of Connecticut :

Revised Statutes, 1902.

Constitutional Convention, 1902.

Public Documents, 1900. 4 Vols.

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From the State of Connecticut—Concluded.

Labour Report, 1901.

Journal of Convention of Delegates in 1818 to form constitution.

Historical Society Collections. Vol. 8.

Register and Manual, 1902.

Militia Laws, 1888, 1893.

From the Government of Cape Colony :

Records of Cape Colony. Vols. 10-12.

Records of South-east Africa. Vol. 8.

Statistical Register, 1899-1901.

Civil Service List, 1902.

From the Government of Ceylon :

Administration Reports, 1900-1.

From the Dominion Government :

Statutes, 1902.

Hansard, 1902.

Journals of both Houses, 1902.

Dominion Official Gazette, 1902.

Supreme Court Reports. Vol. 31.

Statistical Year Book of Canada, 1901. Compiled by George Johnson, F.S.S.

From the Government of Fiji :

Government Gazette, 1874 to 1901. 18 Vols.

Ordinances, 1879-1900. 22 Vols.

From the Government of Gambia :

Official Gazette, 1899-1902.

Ordinances, 1900-1902.

From the Government of Gibraltar :

Consolidated Laws to 1890.

Proclamations, 1891-1901.

From the Government of Grenada :

Administration Reports, 1900.

Consolidated Laws, to 1897.

Ordinances, 1897-1901.

Blue Book, 1901.

From the Government of Hong Kong :

Sessional Papers, 1901.

Blue Book, 1901.

From the State of Illinois :

Labour Report, 1900.

From the Imperial Government :

Laws, 1902.

Sessional Papers, 1902.

Hansard, 1902.

Lords and Commons Journals, 1902.

British and Foreign State Papers. Vol. 133.

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From the Government of India :

Woodman's Digest of Indian Law Cases. 4 Vols.
Madras Code. Regulations, &c. 1902.

From the State of Indiana :

Senate Journal, 1901.
House Journal, 1902.
Documentary Journal, 1899-1900.
Departmental Reports, 1899-1901. 15 Vols.

From the Government of Jamaica :

Laws, 1894 to 1901.
Blue Book, 1901-2.
Hand-book, 1902.

From the State of Kansas :

Appeal Reports. Vols. 9, 10.
Supreme Court Reports. Vols. 63, 64.
Laws, 1901.

From the Government of Lagos :

Ordinances, 1862 to 1902. 3 Vols.
Government Gazette, 1902.

From the Government of the Leeward Islands :

Official Gazette, 1902.
Blue Book, 1901-2. .
Antigua Laws to 1864.

From the Government of the Federated Malay States :

Census, 1901.

From the State of Maine :

Public Documents, 1902. 4 vols.
Law Reports. Vols. 95-96.
Departmental Reports, 1901. 11 Vols.

From the Government of Manitoba :

Laws, 1902.
Journals, 1902.
Official Gazette, 1902.

From the State of Maryland :

Bureau of Industrial Statistics, 1901.

From the State of Massachusetts :

Public Documents, 1900. 12 Vols.
Senate and House Journals, 1902.
Manual of the General Court, 1902.
Labour Reports, 1900-1.
Law Reports. Vols. 178-180.

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From the Government of Mauritius :

Ordinances, 1897 to 1901.
Civil List, 1900.
Supreme Court Decisions, 1886 to 1900.
Blue Book, 1900-1901.
Census, 1901.

From the State of Minnesota :

Law Reports. Vols. 83-84.

From the Government of Natal :

Acts, 1897-1901.

From the Government of New Brunswick :

Laws, 1902.
Journals, 1902.
Official Gazette, 1902.

From the State of New Hampshire :

Annual Reports, 1901.
Law Reports. Vol. 70.
Index to Council Records, 1631-1784.
———— House Journals, 1711-1784.

From the State of New Jersey :

Laws, 1902.
Labour Report, 1901.
Legislative Manual, 1902.
Law Reports. Vols. 61-65.
Legislative Documents, 1901. 5 Vols.
Senate and House Journals, 1902.

From the Government of Newfoundland :

Laws, 1902.
Fisheries Report, 1901.
Customs Report, 1900-1901.
Mineral Statistics, 1899-1901.
Blue Book, 1901.

From the Government of New South Wales :

Statutes, 1900.
Statistical Register, 1900.
Wealth and Progress of 1900-1.
Vital Statistics, 1900.
Assembly Votes and Proceedings, 1893-1895.
Council Journal, 1900.
Report, Public Works, 1901.
Report on Sites for Seat of Federal Government.
Journal and Proceedings of United Service Institute. Vols. 11, 12.

From the State of New York :

Laws, 1902.
Senate Documents, 1897, 1899, 1900. 52 Vols.
Senate and House Journals, 1901.

From the State of New York—Concluded.

Legislative Manual, 1902.
School Report, 1900.
College Report, 1901.
War of the Revolution. Vol. 5.
Fish and Game Reports, 1899-1900.
Supreme Court Reports. Vols. 62-74.
Appeal Reports. Vols. 169-171.
Reports, Excise Department, 1896-1900.

From the Government of New Zealand :

Statutes, 1901-2.
Debates. Vols. 121-171.
Council Journals, 1901.
House Journals, 1901.
Appendix to House Journals, 1901. 4 Vols.
Reports on Mining, 1901.

From the State of North Carolina :

Law Reports, 129, 130.

From the Government of the North-west Territories :

Ordinances, 1901.
Journals, Assembly, 1901.
Official Gazette, 1901.

From the Government of Nova Scotia :

Laws, 1902.
Council Journals, 1902.
Assembly Journals, 1902.
Official Gazette, 1902.

From the State of Ohio :

Executive Documents, 1900. 3 Vols..
Ohio Hundred Year Book, 1803-1902.
Manual, 1900-1.
Labour Report, 1901.
Departmental Reports, 1900-1. 5 Vols.

From the Government of Ontario:

Statutes, 1902.
Assembly Journals, 1902. 6 copies.
Session Papers, 1902. 6 copies.
Revised Statutes 1897. Vol. 3. 4 copies.
Report Loan Corporations. 1901.
Official Gazette. 1902.

From the State of Pennsylvania :

Laws, 1901.
Official Documents, 1899. 10 Vols.
Senate and House Journals. 1901.
Legislative Hand-book, 1901-2.
Law Reports. Vols. 197-201.
Supreme Court Reports. Vols. 15-20.
Record of State Volunteers in Spanish-American war.

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From the Government of Perak, Straits Settlements :

Government Gazette, 1902.

From the Government of Prince Edward Island :

Laws, 1902.

Assembly Journals, 1902.

Official Gazette, 1902.

From the Government of Quebec :

Statutes, 1902. English and French.

Assembly Journals, 1902. English and French, 4 copies.

Sessional Papers, 1902. English and French, 6 copies.

Official Gazette, 1902.

From the Government of Queensland :

Acts, 1901.

Debates. Vols. 87-88.

Council Papers, 1889 to 1901. 36 Vols.

Assembly Papers, 1892 to 1901. 40 Vols.

Votes and Proceedings, 1901. 4 Vols.

From the Government of St. Lucia :

Blue Book, 1901.

From the Government of South Australia :

Acts, 1901-2.

Council Debates, 1901.

Assembly Debates, 1901.

Statistical Register, 1901.

Census, 1901.

From the Government of Tasmania :

Acts, 1901.

Walch's Tasmanian Almanac, 1902.

Journals and Papers, 1901.

From the State of Texas :

Year Book, 1901.

From the Governments of Trinidad and Tobago :

Blue Book, 1901-2.

Education Report, 1901-2.

From the Government of the United States :

Senate Documents, 1893-4, 1901-2. 38 Vols.

House Documents, 1898-9, 1901-2. 104 Vols.

Congressional Directory, 1902.

Congressional Record. Vol. 35. 8 Vols.

“ “ Index to.

Commercial Relations. Consular Reports. Vols. 65-68.

Foreign Relations Report, 1899-1901.

“ “ Index to, 1861-1899.

Report, Commerce and Navigation, 1901-2.

Acts and Resolves of the Province of Massachusetts Bay. Vol. 10. 1720-25.

From the Government of the United States—Concluded.

- Report on Fish and Fisheries, 1901.
Bulletin of the Fish Commission. Vols. 20-21.
Report, Secretary of the Treasury, 1901.
“ Treasury Decisions, 1901.
“ Comptroller of the Treasury. Vol. 8.
Digest of the Treasury Reports. 1894-1902.
Report, Director of the Mint, 1901.
“ Labour Commissioner, 1901-2.
“ Smithsonian Institute, 1901.
“ National Museum Proceedings. Vol. 20.
“ Civil Service Commission, 1900.
“ War Department, 1897 to 1901.
Opinions of the Attorneys General. Vol. 23.
Boas, F. Kathlamet Texts.
12th Census of the United States, 1900. 10 Vols, 4to.
“ Vols. 1-2. Population.
“ Vols. 3-4. Vital Statistics.
“ Vols. 5-6. Agriculture.
“ Vols. 7-10. Manufactures.

From the Government of Uruguay :

Statistical Report, 1901-4.

From the State of Vermont :

- Law Reports. Vol. 73.
Report on Finance, 1901
“ Agriculture, 1901.
“ Insurance, 1901.

From the Government of Victoria :

- Acts, 1900-1.
Debates. Vols. 97-99.
Votes and Proceedings of Assembly, 1901. 3 Vols.
Government Hand-book, 1898.

From the Government of Western Australia :

- Laws, 1900-1902.
Proceedings of Parliament, 1901-2. 4 Vols.
Debates. Vols. 19-20.
Statistical Register, 1900-1.

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